

# ***UFO's Extend Range***

**DETROIT (AP) —** Michigan's weird, blinking lights apparently have extended their appearances into Ohio and Wisconsin.

The reports of sightings, limited for nearly two weeks to southern Michigan, came from some 100 miles north in Michigan's "thumb" district, across Lake Michigan at Green Bay, Wis., and south near Toledo and Dayton, Ohio.

As before, there was no full explanation.

So far, the only authoritative analysis has been the swamp-gas theory advanced Friday by a Northwestern University astrophysicist concerning two sightings in southern Michigan.

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The scientist, Dr. J. Allen Hynek, who also is an Air Force special consultant, has gotten arguments from those who reported seeing the mysterious flying objects.

Ohio highway patrolman R. D. Landversicht said Sunday he saw a strange light approaching Wright Patterson Air Force Base near Dayton. He reportedly photographed the lights and the Air Force develops the films today.

Wright Patterson is the home of the National Unidentified Aerial Phenomena Office, called Project Blue Book.

Maj. Hector Quintanilla, Blue Book project officer, said, "It's not unusual after incidents such as these in Michigan last week to get a lot of 'sighting' reports. It's a normal aftermath pattern."

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In the Toledo area Sunday night a member of the Sylvania fire department furnished a local radio station with a detailed account of his observations.

Equipped with binoculars, the observer described four objects he said changed color from red to green to white — "They kind of look like a star when you first see them, but they blink on and off," he said.

Hynek said at his Evanston, Ill., home Sunday that his conclusion that two Michigan sightings probably were swamp gas applied only to the sightings reported in the Hillsdale and Dexter area.

Several observers said they felt the explanation was inadequate.

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In Washington, Rep. Gerald R. Ford, R-Mich., called for a congressional investigation of the situation, stating many Michigan residents feel the incidents are "sufficient to justify some action by our government."